GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 8, 2013

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THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Common Council of the City of Terre Haute, Indiana that Chapter 2, Article 10 of the *Terre Haute City Code* is hereby amended by inserting the following language:

Sec. 2-116 Parks & Recreation Department Non-Reverting Capital Projects & Equipment Purchase Fund.

- a. A special non-reverting operating account, entitled Terre Haute Parks and Recreation Department Non-Reverting Capital Projects & Equipment Purchase Fund, is established in the Terre Haute Parks and Recreation Department. This account shall be initially funded by the proceeds from the January 2013 DuPont settlement in the amount of \$1,002,486.05. This account shall also be funded by donations and special bequests to the Terre Haute Parks and Recreation Department.
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| Introduced by: | James Chalos, Councilman |
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| Passed in open Council this day of | August, 2013. |
| Mc fond | Norman Loudermilk, President |
| ATTEST (Rules Hours | Charles P. Hanley, City Clerk |
| Presented by me to the Mayor this day of | August, 2013. |
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| Approved by me, the Mayor, this day of | A4645T ,2013. |
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